

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/532400 Confirmation No. 3707
Applicant : Masataka Goto
Filed : July 15, 2005
TC/A.U. : 2837
Examiner : Christina Marie Russell

Title : MUSICAL COMPOSITION REPRODUCTION METHOD
AND DEVICE, AND METHOD FOR DETECTING A
REPRESENTATIVE MOTIF SECTION IN MUSICAL
COMPOSITION DATA
Docket No. : NIS-16068
Customer No. : 040854

AMENDMENT "C"
(In response to Paper No.)

Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office action dated March 24, 2006. The three month period for responding to the Office action expired on June 24, 2006. Accordingly, applicant respectfully requests and petitions that the response date be extended, for three months, to September 24, 2006. The \$1,020.00 extension of time fee is enclosed. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.
- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 12 of this paper.
- **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 37 of this paper, and include an attached replacement sheet(s) and annotated sheet(s) showing changes.
- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 38 of this paper.